

**Testimony of
EAN Holdings, LLC**

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TO: Representative Henry Aquino
Chair, Committee on Transportation
Via Email TRNtestimony@capitol.hawaii.gov

RE: **H.B. 1010 - Relating to the Commuter Benefits Program**
Hearing Date: Monday, February 9, 2015 at 10:00 am
Conference Room 309

Dear Chair Aquino and Members of the Committee on Transportation:

We submit this testimony on behalf of Enterprise RideShare (Van Pool), a division of Enterprise Holdings that includes Enterprise Rent-A-Car, Alamo Rent-A-Car and National Car Rental.

Enterprise RideShare supports H.B. 1010, which allows the counties to adopt ordinances establishing commuter benefits programs. Commuter benefits programs promote an enhanced quality of life and help to reduce dependence on fossil fuels. These programs permit employees to use pre-tax dollars to pay for alternative commute options like vanpool programs, bicycling or transit which in turn help the state to reduce the number of vehicles on the road, alleviate traffic conditions, and improve air quality. Enterprise supports the state's focused efforts to reduce fossil fuel consumption in the transportation sector in particular, and looks forward to ways to partner with the state to provide alternative commuting options. For these reasons, we ask this Committee to pass H.B. 1010.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on this measure.

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